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To the Parents of New Students
in the College of Arts and Sciences

Queens is pleased to recognize your sons and daughters as new members of our student body. We are confident that, with your help and ours, they will become responsible members of the college community, ready to take advantage of the opportunities the college offers for intellectual, spiritual, and social development.

A young person's first year at college represents one of life's passages, requiring some understanding and accommodation on the part of both student and parents. It is important that students learn to assume responsibility for their lives here, whether in the classroom or out of it. Accordingly, the college believes firmly that

—It is the student's responsibility to keep parents informed about his or her progress and plans, including academic standing, disciplinary and Honor Council proceedings, personal development, and health.

—Students should be encouraged to use the college's guidance and counseling resources themselves when problems arise.

—Parents should communicate directly with their student when they are concerned about a problem or situation.

Parents will find the college faculty and staff most willing to discuss students' problems when it is possible to do so. At the same time, experience has shown that the most effective way to help students make the transition to become independent adults is for parents to express their concern openly and to encourage the student to seek help if needed.

This handbook tries to anticipate some of the most common questions parents have about college life. It is only a summary, though, and thus does not replace the college catalog or other official publications.

I am glad to welcome you as members of our larger community and look forward to meeting you when you visit the campus during parents' weekends and on other occasions.

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Dean of Student Development

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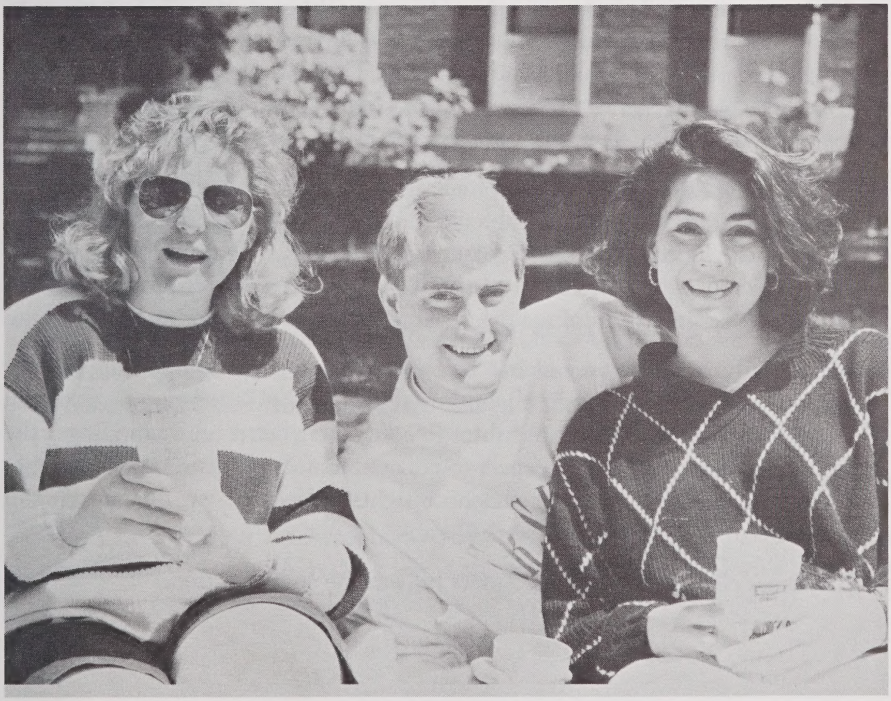


THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM

Since its founding 132 years ago, Queens College has evolved into a diversified institution of higher education serving a variety of learners. Some 1,400 degree-seeking men and women of all ages are enrolled in Queens' three colleges:

— the College of Arts and Sciences, a coed undergraduate program that emphasizes the traditional liberal arts;

— the New College at Queens, for working men and women who want to earn undergraduate degrees in evening or Saturday classes;

— The Graduate School, offering mostly evening and Saturday courses leading to the master's degree in business, education and nursing.

The College of Arts and Sciences provides a variety of majors and degree programs to students in an environment that is both challenging and supportive. The deliberate small size of the college enables Queens to accentuate concern for the individual and to provide the personal and intellectual interaction, caring, fun and fellowship that are possible only in such a setting.

Of all the elements that combine to make Queens College distinctive, three in particular deserve special mention:

— Queens' new Foundations of Liberal Learning Program introduces students to the important questions in life. It is specifically designed to help students develop the skills of analytical thinking and reasoning. To emphasize the interconnectedness of all knowledge, the Liberal Learning program takes an interdisciplinary approach and utilizes team-teaching techniques.

— The International Experience program guarantees every full-time student an opportunity for travel and study abroad. Most of the expense associated with this program is included in Queens' regular tuition and fees. The study tours are led by Queens faculty members, and they include orientation classes to prepare students for experiencing another culture. Most of the tours take place during January term.

— Internships, both professional and exploratory, provide opportunities for Queens students to learn more about the world of work. Used in connection with traditional academic work, internships give students a better understanding of the kinds of challenges they can expect to encounter after graduation. Queens uses internships extensively to offer students insights and experiences that are difficult to achieve through classroom work alone.

Each of these elements is explained more fully in the college catalog.

ACADEMIC PROCEDURES

ACADEMIC ADVISING

Every degree candidate at Queens is assigned a faculty advisor. Advisors are usually assigned according to the academic interest of the student and may be changed as a student's plans solidify or interests change.

Prior to registration for each term, students meet individually with their faculty advisors to discuss course offerings, plan internships and/or honors projects, and arrange course schedules.

There is a Coordinator of Academic Development who serves on the staff of the Vice President for Academic Affairs. The coordinator is a person to whom students may turn with any questions about their academic work.

MID-TERM GRADES

When a student is having difficulty in a course (making a D or an F) at mid-term, the instructor sends a mid-term grade report on the student to the Vice President for Academic Affairs. In turn the Vice President sends a warning letter to the student and a copy to the parents(s) or guardian(s). Students who are doing satisfactory work (C or better) at mid-term are not sent grade reports.

It is important to note that midterm reports are merely warning signals and do not become part of the permanent record or in any way affect the student's academic standing. It is still quite possible for a student to improve his or her grade to a satisfactory level during the second half of the term.

FINAL GRADES

Final grades are sent out from the Registrar's Office to the students at their home addresses. Although the grades are not mailed directly to the parents or guardians, it is anticipated that the information will be shared.

ACADEMIC HONORS

The Vice President for Academic Affairs notifies the student and parent(s) or guardian(s) by letter when the student has been named to the Dean's List or has won some other academic honor.

ACADEMIC PROBATION

If in the first term a student earns a grade-point average below the minimum specified for his or her class standing, he or she is placed on academic probation for the following term. The college imposes specific stipulations which the student must meet in order to return for the second year.

If the probationary stipulations are not met in the second term, the student is academically ineligible to enter the sophomore year. It is necessary therefore to have two consecutive terms of academic difficulty to be dismissed.

Stipulations for academic probation are described in the college catalog.

All cases of academic probation and academic ineligibility to return to Queens College are decisions of the Student Qualifications Committee. Such decisions are communicated by the Vice President for Academic Affairs who sends a letter to the student with a copy to the parent(s) or guardian(s).

COLLEGE SERVICES

Queens College offers the resources and services normally expected of a quality liberal arts college. Some of those facilities that may be of interest to parents are described here.

OFFICE OF CAREER DEVELOPMENT

Career development at Queens is a four-year process. There is a central office for career planning (located in the Harris House) which provides comprehensive career counseling and employment assistance. Vocational testing, individual and group counseling, topical workshops and seminars, and a career resource library are among the services provided.

The college has an extensive internship program and can suggest intern sites for practially every academic discipline. Prior to beginning a college-sponsored internship, students must have an approved resume on file in the Office of Career Development and have satisfactorily completed an interviewing workshop. Students are also required to attend two internship orientation seminars conducted by the career development staff.

Many students hold part time and summer jobs in the Charlotte community. The career development office maintains a current listing of job openings and serves as a clearinghouse for students seeking employment.

Employment recruiters and counselors from graduate schools are welcomed on campus. Students are notified of recruiting opportunities and interviews are arranged during on-campus visits. To be eligible to participate in these on-campus placement services students must have completed certain workshops, including, but not limited to, resume writing and interviewing skills.

COUNSELING SERVICES

Queens has two professional counselors on staff who are available to students for personal counseling. Their office is located in the Health Center and appointments may be made by calling 337-2220. All counseling services on campus are free and confidential.

Many other trained counselors are available on the Queens staff. The Director of Career Development, the college chaplain, and Director of Residence Life all hold master's degrees in counseling and related areas. Students are encouraged to seek out any of these people when they wish to do so. Resident Coordinators and student resident assistants are trained for peer counseling and help with referrals.

Referrals to off-campus psychologists and psychiatrists may be made when necessary. The cost of all off-campus therapy is the responsibility of the individual student.

If a student demonstrates that he or she is potentially harmful to himself/herself or to others, steps will be taken to intervene and a decision will be made by a review committee of staff and administrators regarding continuation of enrollment.

PLACES OF WORSHIP

Belk Chapel on the college campus is open to students at all times. There is a chaplain on the college staff and chapel services are held on special weekends during the school year.

Queens encourages its students to attend local churches, many of which actively seek participation by our students. Baptist, Catholic, Church of Christ, Episcopal, Greek Orthodox, Jewish, Lutheran, Methodist, Moravian, and Presbyterian churches are all located close to the campus. The college chaplain will be happy to provide further information on local places of worship.

MEDICAL SERVICES

The Irwin-McKay Health Center is open around the clock from 3 p.m. on Sundays until 3 p.m. on Fridays. A nurse practitioner is on staff Monday through Friday to care for the routine medical needs of students.

Students are encouraged to make appointments whenever possible prior to visiting the Health Center. Students with appointments will be seen prior to those who walk in without an appointment, except in emergency situations.

A student who needs specialized medical treatment will be referred to a local physician. The costs of treatments and prescriptions are the responsibility of the student. Ordinarily parental consent will be sought before a student undertakes any major treatment. A Health Center nurse will help students make appointments with local physicians or dentists. Students must provide their own transportation to the doctor's office.

The college maintains a professional relationship with a local physicians group. These physicians are on call for our students 24 hours a day. The campus is within three miles of Charlotte Memorial Hospital, and a physician from the Family Practice Center will meet students at the hospital in case of an emergency.

Hospital or emergency room charges will be billed to the college in order to expedite admission of a student. The college will then bill the student for these charges. It is the responsibility of the student or his/her parents to file directly with their insurance company all claims for insurance coverage.

Students should notify their Resident Coordinator if they need medical attention when the Health Center is closed.

North Carolina state law requires that any student not presenting physician-validated immunization information be immunized during the initial 30 days of the semester. Non- compliance requires dismissal from the college.

INSURANCE

The college requires accident insurance of each full-time student, and the cost of the premium is included in tuition and fee charges.

A health insurance plan is available through the college. It is optional for American citizens and required of international residents. Information regarding this plan is mailed to each student by the college Business Office.

College insurance provides protection for college property. It does not include the personal property of students or others. Students and their parents should review their insurance plans to be sure that coverage is extended to include personal belongings.

FOOD SERVICES

The Morrison Dining Hall is operated for the college by the Marriott Corporation.

All resident students are required to participate in one of the college's meal plans. At registration each term students select and pay for the plan they wish. The choice of meal plans can be made only at the beginning of a term.

Students who have special dietary needs are encouraged to meet individually with the Food Service Director. The director will make every attempt to accommodate students who present statements from physicians outlining dietary restrictions or requirements.

PUBLIC SAFETY

Located on the first floor of the Stultz Building, the Public Safety Department was established to maintain a safe environment for the college community through police, security, safety, and traffic services. Officers patrol the campus 24 hours a day and are on duty year 'round, including holidays. The department has a special Campus Crime Prevention program which offers advice and programs on crime prevention and personal safety.

Escort Service: In the evening hours, persons may call or come by the Public Safety Office (ext. 306) and request an escort to or from the parking lots, a residence hall, or academic building. This service is available from sunset to sunrise.

Emergency Telephones: Telephones are located in each of the parking areas on campus. These should be used by persons requesting assistance from the Public Safety Office.

STUDENT BANK

The Student Bank, in Jernigan Hall, is open Monday through Friday, noon-4 p.m. during the academic year. During summer school and when school is not in session, the bank is open on an abbreviated schedule each day. The bank is closed during college holidays.

Students may establish personal accounts at the Student Bank by deposits of checks or cash. Withdrawals from these accounts can be made only in cash. The maximum number of transactions to a personal account is one transaction per day.

Students may cash personal checks, payroll checks, money orders or checks made payable to them by their parents, spouse or other Queens College students, not to exceed $200 per check. Larger checks may be cashed by giving a one-day notice to the cashier.

Students who cash checks at the Student Bank which are returned for insufficient funds or any other reason will have their check-cashing privileges suspended for a minimum of one month's time and until the check is paid in full. Student Bank

activities (deposits and withdrawals) will not be affected.

The cashier reserves the right to refuse to cash any check.

Students may prefer to establish a local bank account. NCNB, First Union, and Wachovia all have branches within a few blocks of the campus.

FINANCIAL AID

Queens has a number of types of financial aid provided through federal, state and private sources. Students who are interested in investigating financial aid should make an appointment with the Director of Financial Aid.

Since most funds are awarded to students on the basis of financial need, students (and their parents) are required to submit detailed financial information before their eligibility can be determined. Students must be enrolled at least half-time in order to apply for aid. Applications and financial data should be submitted early (usually in January prior to enrolling in August) in order to receive first priority for funds. Students must reapply for aid annually and must show continued satisfactory academic progress in order to continue to receive financial aid.

EMERGENCY LOAN FUNDS

Two short-term emergency loan funds have been established for distribution by the Dean of Student Development. These interest-free loans are made to students who have exhausted all other forms of financial assistance. The loan must be repaid by the end of the term, or the amount will be charged to the student's account. He or she will not be allowed to register for another term until the loan has been repaid.

POST OFFICE

The Queens College Post Office is located on the first floor of the Stultz Building. The Post Office offers all regular postal services with the exception of money orders and outgoing C.O.D. mail.

All students are assigned a post office box. New students receive notification of their post office box number and combination in the fall and will retain the same number each year.

Mail to students should be addressed as follows:

Name
P. O. Box #
Queens College
1900 Selwyn Avenue
Charlotte, North Carolina 28274

LIST OF CAMPUS RESOURCES

The College switchboard number is 704-332-7121. The switchboard is open from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

In case of an emergency, please call Public Safety at 337-2306. You can reach any campus phone by dialing 337-2+extension number.

IF YOUR QUESTION CONCERNS...	THEN PLEASE CALL
Academic Advising	Ms. Saundra Johnson Coordinator of Academic Development Ext. 508
Academic Affairs	Dr. Bari Watkins Vice President for Academic Affairs Ext. 324
Admissions, Financial Aid	Ms. Ann Murphy Director of Admissions and Financial Aid Ext. 513
Alumni Affairs	Ms. Adelaide Davis Alumni Director Ext. 329
Automobile Regulations	Mr. Ray Thrower Director of Public Safety Ext. 306
Business Office	Ms. Jeannette Manning Controller Ext. 375
Career Planning, Internships, Job Placements	Ms. Debbie Thigpen-Bouton Director of Career Development Ext. 337
Clubs and Organizations	Ms. Lynda Shuler Director of Student Activities Ext. 293

College Policy	Dr. Billy O. Wireman President Ext. 217
Development	Mr. Alan Lee Vice President for College Relations Ext. 321
Food Services	Ms. Marcia Bradley Food Services Director Ext. 409
Mail Services	Mr. Dave Peterson Postmaster Ext. 311
Medical Services	Ms. Willie Wachowiak Director of Health Center Ext. 220
Public Relations	Mr. John Slater Director of Communications and Public Relations Ext. 252
Registrar's Office	Dr. Emory Mason Registrar Ext. 349
Religious Life	Ms. Terry Hamilton Chaplain Ext. 291
Residence Life	Ms. Gail Grieger Director of Residence Life Ext. 455
Sports and Recreation	Mr. Dale Layer Director of Athletics Ext. 510
Student Development	Ms. Gene Burton Dean of Student Development Ext. 226

HOURS OF OPERATION

Morrison Dining Hall

Weekdays:	Breakfast	7:00 a.m.-8:30 a.m. (hot breakfast) 8:30 a.m.-9:00 a.m. (continental breakfast)
	Lunch	11:45 a.m.-1:30 p.m.
	Dinner	5:15 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Friday: 5:00-5:45 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday:	Breakfast	9:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m.
	Lunch	12:00 noon-1:00 p.m.
	Dinner	5:15 p.m.-5:45 p.m.

Post Office Window

Monday-Friday:	9:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m.-noon 3:00 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Bookstore

Monday-Thursday:	9:30 a.m.-6:15 p.m.
Friday:	9:30 a.m.-4:00 p.m.

Library

Monday-Thursday:	8:00 a.m.-1:00 a.m.
Friday:	8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
Saturday:	10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
Sunday:	2:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m.

Hollow Grill

Monday-Thursday:	8:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.
Friday:	8:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Administrative Offices

Monday-Friday:	8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Office of Career Development

Monday-Friday:	8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Student Bank

Monday-Friday:	noon-4:00 p.m.

RESIDENCE LIFE

Traditional students who are candidates for an undergraduate degree must live in a residence hall unless they are residing with a parent or guardian, married, or given special permission for other residence by the Dean of Student Development.

Living at Queens offers students the opportunity for growth through involvement in the resident community. The residence halls are more than just a place to live—they are experiences in living.

Policies are designed to facilitate community living and to ensure the smooth operation of the residence halls. All resident students and their guests on campus are expected to abide by these policies and guidelines. Violation of guidelines and policies will be handled through the college judicial process as described elsewhere in the handbook.

THE PROFESSIONAL STAFF

Director of Residence Life

The Residence Life Office is located on the second floor of Jernigan.

The Director of Residence Life, a full-time professional member of the Student Development staff, is responsible for the management of the residence-life program at Queens.

The director holds a master's degree in counseling and is available as needed to help students deal with personal or academic problems.

Resident Coordinators

Resident Coordinators are professional Student Development staff who live in the residence halls. They are responsible for the general management of the building and serve as a resource for residents.

R.C.'s are trained to handle emergency situations, mediate roommate problems and help with personal difficulties. They help establish an air of community living in the hall through programming and planned activities.

Resident Assistants

Student Resident Assistants are members of the Student Development staff. Each RA is responsible for the management of an individual floor in one of Queens' residence halls.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

Access to Residence Halls

The residence halls are locked 24 hours a day for students' protection. Entry is gained through the use of a personal access card that is assigned to each student. Any main entrance or fire door that is propped open or misused is a violation of residence hall policy. Loss of an access card must be reported immediately to the Public Safety Department. There is a $10 fee for replacing a lost card.

Visitation

Visitors of the opposite sex are allowed in the residence halls on Friday and Saturday between the hours of 12 noon and 1:30 a.m., and Sunday through Thursday between 12 noon and 12:00 a.m. The Queens host or hostess must sign in all visitors (including family members) on the sheet located on the desk of the residence hall lobby.

Seniors in Long Hall may have male guests in their rooms between the hours of 6 a.m. and 12:00 a.m. Sunday through Thursday, and from 6 a.m. until 1:30 a.m. Friday and Saturday. Guests must be accompanied by a Queens student at all times.

Quiet Hours

Campus quiet hours are to be observed Sunday-Thursday from 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. First-year students are to observe additional quiet hours Sunday-Thursday, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. All students are asked to take responsibility for observing and enforcing these hours. Observance of quiet hours in the residence halls acknowledges the right of each student to study and sleep with a minimum amount of disturbance. Students are expected to be considerate of others at all times. Any residence hall wishing to extend quiet hours may do so by a majority vote of the residents.

Electrical Appliances

Only the following electrical appliances may be used in residence hall rooms: coffee pots, fans, popcorn poppers, microwave ovens, hair dryers, stereos or radios, refrigerators (up to 3 cubic feet), televisions, and electric curlers. The following appliances may NOT be used in student rooms due to electrical circuit capacity, energy control, or potential fire hazard: electrical resistance ovens (any type), hot plates, toasters, toaster ovens, sunlamps, and irons.

Laundry Facilities

Coin-operated washers and dryers are located in each residence hall. Students are cautioned not to overload these machines. A student overloading a washer or dryer

may be charged for the repairs. Ironing boards are available in the laundry rooms. Ironing is restricted to the approved areas in each building; no irons should be used in a student's room.

Telephones/Cable TV

Telephone jacks and cablevision hook-ups are available in residence hall rooms. The college is not involved with these services; students must deal directly with the company providing the service.

These utility companies will bill only one individual for each room. Students assume full financial responsibility when they have telephones or cablevision connected in their names.

RESPONSIBLE LIVING

Queens encourages the development of mature women and men who act responsibly at all times, both on-campus and off. The following regulations are guidelines for the development of responsible living for all who are a part of the Queens community. They are designed to reflect the highest values and standards.

GENERAL STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

1. A primary value is respect for people.

   Any form of hazing, harassment, verbal abuse, or physical or sexual assault directed toward any member of the college community will not be tolerated.

   Racial incidents or comments indicating prejudice or bigotry toward students or employees will not be tolerated at Queens and when detected will invite dismissal from the college.

   Behavior which is indecent, lewd, obscene, or unnecessarily disruptive to the teaching-learning process or college sponsored events is considered disorderly conduct and is subject to penalty.

   No action or behavior will be tolerated which endangers the health and safety of any member or guest of the college community.

2. In our society, respect for property and law has always been of primary importance.

Violation of this standard includes not only theft of but also damage to property belonging to the college or members of the college community.

Closed college facilities may not be entered without authorization.

3. Tampering with fire safety equipment is prohibited.

4. Student identification cards and card access system cards are non-transferable. Misuse of any form of student identification will be subject to penalty.

SPECIFIC COLLEGE POLICIES

1. Alcohol Policy

Queens College recognizes the social problems inherent in the misuse of alcohol and discourages inappropriate student consumption of alcohol. It also seeks to provide a realistic social atmosphere on campus, to develop student responsibility, and to permit maximum personal freedom in matters affecting student life. Students are expected to obey the state law regarding the possession, sale, and consumption of alcoholic beverages; students, therefore, accept personal responsibility for their own actions and decisions.

The following regulations are designed to support these objectives:

a. Students are responsible at all times for complying with North Carolina laws governing possession and use of alcohol. North Carolina law includes the following provisions:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to: (1) sell or give malt beverages (including beer) or unfortified wine to anyone less than 21 years old or; (2) sell or give fortified wine, spirituous liquor, or mixed beverages to anyone less than 21 years old. It shall be unlawful for: (1) a person less than 21 years old to purchase, to attempt to purchase, or to possess malt beverages or unfortified wine...or fortified wine, spirituous liquor or mixed beverages."

Persons aiding and abetting an underage person to violate this law will be guilty of a misdemeanor.

b. Possession of alcoholic beverages in residence hall rooms is regulated by state law.

c. Student Government Association budgeted funds may not be used to purchase alcoholic beverages.

d. Queens students are responsible for their personal conduct at all times and shall be subject to discipline, including possible suspension, for behavior which discredits the students and/or the college.

Note: Please note that beer and wine are the only alcoholic beverages that the Dean of Student Development or Director of Student Activities may authorize for special occasions on campus. The only exception is in residence hall rooms as indicated in b.

2. Drug Policy

The illicit and improper use of drugs (for example, amphetamines, barbituates, opiates, hallucinogenic drugs and marijuana) is not in keeping with a student's personal welfare or pursuit of academic achievement. Queens College students are expected to abide by the laws of the State of North Carolina and the federal government regarding the possession and use of drugs.

Students abusing drugs may face disciplinary procedures including suspension from the college.

Counseling services are available both on and off campus for students who wish to discuss confidential matters concerning drugs and their use.

3. Automobiles on Campus

All students at Queens are allowed to bring cars to campus. Cars must be registered with the Public Safety office. The registration fee is $10.00. Each registered automobile is issued a parking permit which must be affixed to the left rear bumper of the vehicle or to the lower left corner of the rear windshield. A vehicle is not registered until the sticker or permit is displayed on the vehicle.

Parking on campus is limited. Each parking permit indicates the zone in which that vehicle is authorized to park. Parking in unauthorized zones will result in a fine.

Any vehicle receiving ten (10) parking violations may be towed at owner's expense.

A parking appeals board is available to anyone wishing to appeal a parking ticket.

Students are responsible for their visitors and will be held financially responsible for citations issued to vehicles traced to direct family members or guests.

THE HONOR CODE AND JUDICIAL PROCESS

Responsible living means living by the principles of the Queens Honor Code in all academic, social, and personal matters. The purpose of the Honor Code is to provide a community with an atmosphere of mutual trust among students, faculty and administration. The Code applies to all phases of life at the college and is binding on all members of the college community.

THE HONOR PLEDGE

As a member of the Queens College community, I do hereby resolve to uphold the Honor Code of the college and endeavor to create a spirit of integrity and honor for its own sake.

I pledge truthfulness at all times, respect for the property of others, and absolute honesty in the performance of all academic work.

Realizing that the Honor Code places upon me demands as well as privileges, I resolve to report any student—including myself—who may violate any of the principles of the Honor Code.

I understand the Honor Code and realize that a plea of ignorance will not be accepted by the college community.

Violations of the Honor Code include, but are not limited to, cheating, lying, theft, and academic dishonesty. Two examples of the latter are **plagiarism** and **computer misuse**, accessing, transferring, or altering information without authorization.

Violations of the Honor Code, the General Standards of Conduct, and residence hall regulations are heard by students elected to the Honor Council and the Campus Judicial Board.

A complete explanation of the judicial process and the sanctions that can be imposed is provided in Articles I through XIII of the Student Government Association Constitution, which is printed in the Student Handbook.

ATHLETICS

Queens College will offer intercollegiate competition in six sports during the 1989-90 school year. Women's teams compete in volleyball, soccer, basketball, and tennis. The men now field teams in basketball and tennis and will add soccer and golf in the 1990-91 school year.

All six sports will have "try-outs," and anyone wanting to participate is encouraged to contact the athletic department as soon as possible when the school year begins.

Queens follows the NCAA Division II guidelines and has made application for affiliation, which we expect to be approved during the course of the year.

Entrance to all home contests is free for students with a Queens I.D.

An expanded intramural program begins this fall. Volleyball, basketball, tennis, weight-lifting, flag football, and more are scheduled.

Club sport opportunities exist for groups of students interested in sports not offered on an intercollegiate level.

Ovens Gymnasium is the home of the Queens Royals teams. This building underwent extensive renovations in the summer of 1989. It includes a large gym, a dance studio, weight room, and swimming pool. In addition there are five tennis courts, three of which are lighted. The Physical Education Department makes all facilities available on a regular basis through recreation nights and free swims.

ANNUAL EVENTS

Often the college community comes together to celebrate traditions and events which are important in the life of the college. Following is a partial list of such activities — those which parents and families may particularly enjoy.

Senior Recognition Day — September 12
Each fall the college community gathers to honor the senior class. This is the first academic procession of the year and the speaker is chosen by the seniors.

Parents' Weekend — October 27-29
Parents of all Queens students are invited to visit the campus to meet with faculty and staff and enjoy autumn in North Carolina.

Boar's Head Banquet — December 6
In the English tradition of Queens College at Oxford University, a boar's head ceremony and banquet is held during the Christmas season.

Moravian Lovefeast and Christmas Tree Lighting — December 10
The Religious Life Committee of Queens sponsors a Moravian "Feast of Love" each year as part of a North Carolina celebration of Christmas.

Following the Lovefeast comes the lighting of the Queens Christmas Tree.

Yule Log Ceremony — December 13
Queens borrows this from the ancient British tradition to herald the Christmas season and wish for a year of good luck! It's an evening of seasonal food, drink and carol singing.

Honors Convocation — February 13
The Honors Convocation is held at the beginning of the Spring Term to recognize those students who earned academic honors the previous term.

International Symposium — April 5
This international event is held on campus for the Queens community and the public with well-known international and national guest speakers.

Parents' Weekend — April 20-22
Parents and family members are invited to return to the campus for a special, activity-filled weekend, the highlight of which is Springfest.

Queens Springfest — April 21
Each spring, Queens celebrates with a day full of picnics, music, and artists. A great way to welcome spring!

Awards Day — April 24
A special convocation is held in the spring to present awards to students for their outstanding contributions or achievements.

May Day Weekend — May 3-6
May Day is celebrated each spring with a weekend of social activities. Class representatives are elected to the Court and a May Queen (senior) is announced at a morning presentation. The weekend is highlighted by several concerts and a formal dance.

Baccalaureate — May 18
This worship service for graduating seniors is held each year during the graduation weekend. Families and friends are invited to attend.

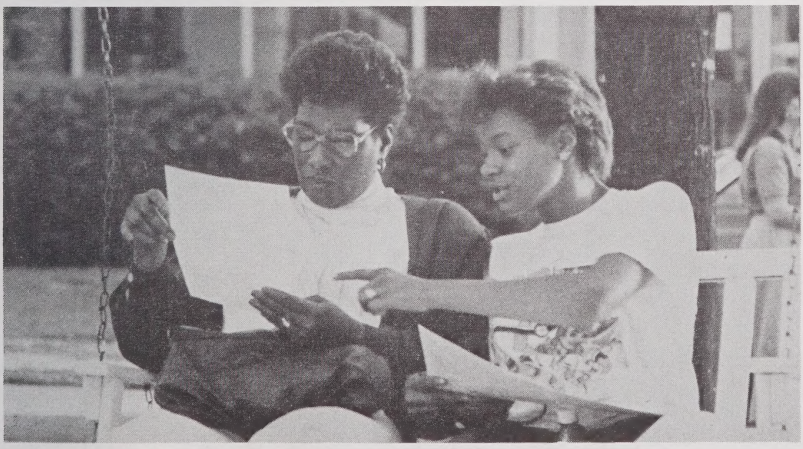
Commencement — May 19
Degrees are conferred in a ceremony which marks the climax of a student's college career.

1989-90 COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES ACADEMIC CALENDAR

TERM I	1989
Sat., Aug. 26	Freshmen Arrive
Sat.-Tues., Aug.26-29	Freshman Orientation
Sun.-Wed., Aug. 27-30	Upperclassmen Arrive (these days only)
Tues., Aug. 29	Registration
Thurs., Aug. 31	Classes Begin
Fri., Sept. 1	Welcome-Back Party
Wed., Sept. 6	Last Day to Drop/Add
Thurs.-Sun., Sept. 14-17	Greek Rush
Tues., Sept. 12	Senior Recognition Day
Fri.-Sun., Oct. 6-8	Oktoberfest Weekend
Fri., Oct. 13	Fall Break
Wed., Oct. 18	Midterm Grades Due
Sat., Oct. 21	Admissions Open House
Mon., Oct. 23	"Mark Twain" Performance
Wed., Oct. 25	Last Day to Withdraw with a WP or WF
Fri.-Sun., Oct. 27-29	Fall Parents' Weekend
Mon., Oct. 30-Nov.17	Preregistration, Jan. Term and Term II
Mon., Nov. 6	The Learning Society presents David Brinkley
Sun.-Mon., Nov. 12-13	Admissions Open House
Fri., Nov. 17	Thanksgiving Break Begins, 5:00 p.m.
Sun., Nov. 26	Residence Halls Open, 9:00 a.m.
Mon., Nov. 27	Classes Resume
Fri.-Sun., Dec. 1-3	Casino Party Weekend
Fri., Dec. 1	Christmas Tree Trim
Sun., Dec. 3	Admissions Open House
Wed., Dec. 6	Boar's Head Dinner
Sun., Dec. 10	Lovefeast/Christmas Tree Lighting
Tues., Dec. 12	Classes End
Wed., Dec. 13	Reading Day; Yule Log Ceremony
Thurs., Dec. 14	Exams Begin
Tues., Dec. 19	Exams End

JANUARY TERM	1990
Tues., Jan. 2	Residence Halls Open, 9:00 a.m.
Tues.-Thurs., Jan. 2-4	Study Tours Depart
Wed., Jan. 3	Registration; Classes Begin
Fri., Jan. 26	Classes End

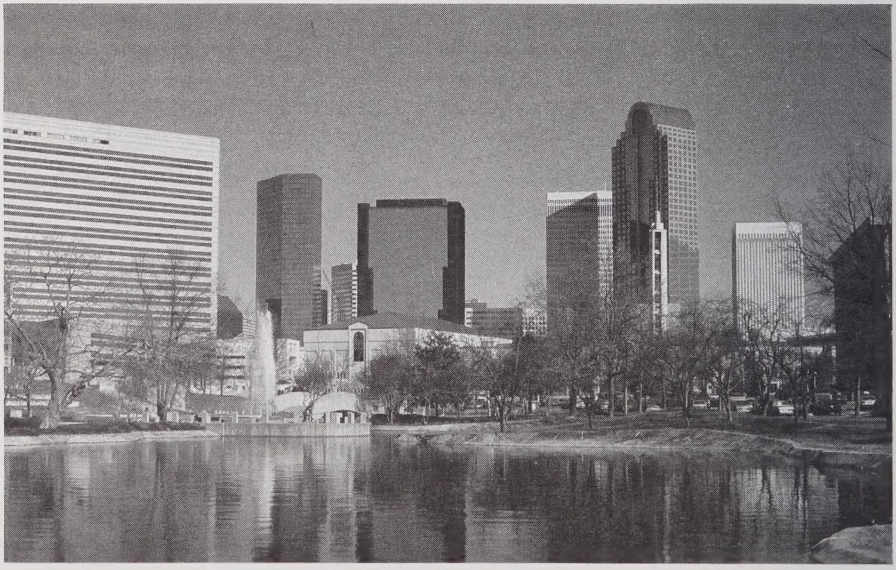
TERM II	1990
Mon., Jan. 29	Registration
Tues., Jan. 30	Classes Begin
Fri., Feb. 2	Welcome-Back Party
Mon., Feb. 5	Last Day to Drop/Add
Sat., Feb. 10	Mardi Gras Festival
Sun.-Mon., Feb. 11-12	Admissions Open House
Tues., Feb. 13	Honors Convocation
Thurs.-Fri., Feb. 22-23	Presidential Scholars' Interviews
Fri., Mar. 16	Midterm Grades Due
Fri., Mar. 16	Spring Recess Begins, 5:00 p.m.
Sun., Mar. 25	Residence Halls Open, 9:00 a.m.
Mon., Mar. 26	Classes Resume
Mon., Mar. 26- Thurs., April 12	Preregistration, Summer Terms and Term I, 90-91
Fri., Mar. 30	Last Day to Withdraw with a WP or WF
Thurs., April 5	International Symposium
Sat., April 7	Homecoming
Sun.-Mon., April 8-9	Admissions Open House
Fri., April 13	Easter Holiday
Fri.-Sun., April 20-22	Spring Parents' Weekend
Sat., April 21	Queens Springfest
Tues., April 24	Awards Convocation
Thurs.-Sun., May 3-6	May Day Weekend
Thurs., May 10	Classes End
Fri., May 11	Reading Day
Sat., May 12	Exams Begin
Thurs., May 17	Exams End
Fri., May 18	Baccalaureate, 4:00 p.m.
Sat., May 19	Graduation, 10:00 a.m.



CHARLOTTE AREA HOTELS

Listed below are hotels which are convenient to the campus. When making a reservation specify that you would like the corporate rate for Queens College, and please make your own reservations directly with the hotel.

Compri Hotel 895 West Trade St Charlotte, N.C. 28202	704/347-0070	Weeknights: $55.00 Weekends: $45.00
Days Inn 122 W. Woodlawn Road Charlotte, N.C.	704/527-1620	Special Queens rate: Single: $37.00 Double: $42.00
511 Queens 511 Queens Road Charlotte, N.C.	704/375-3238	Special Queens Rate: $65.00 (all suites)
Manor House 2800 Selwyn Ave. Charlotte, N.C.	704/377-2621	Single: $39.00 Double: $46.00 (all rooms have kitchens)
Ramada Inn 600 S. Kings Street	704/377-6800	Weeknights: $49.00 Weekends: $39.00



TELEPHONE DIRECTORY FOR RESIDENT LIFE STAFF AND RESIDENCE HALLS

Resident Coordinators and Resident Assistants live in the residence halls and are readily available to students. All members of the residence life staff report to the director of Residence Life.

Director of Residence Life	Gail Grieger	337-2455
Resident Coordinators		
Albright Hall	Lisa Justice	337-2326
Belk Hall	Mike Shackelford	337-2458
Harris Hall	Cindy Gilmer	337-2223
Wallace Hall	Kay Tripp	337-2459
Student Resident Assistants		
Albright Hall		
1st floor	Staci Benson	337-2477
2nd floor	Rhonda Gates	337-2393
3rd floor	Tracy Price	337-2394
Belk Hall		
1st floor	Jay McBride	337-2239
2nd floor	Bill Goldsmith	337-2233
Pay telephone		374-9561
Harris Hall		
Lobby phone		337-2334
1st floor, long hall	Marty Carson	337-2218
1st floor, short hall	Lisa Miller	337-2263
2nd floor, long hall	Susan Wynegar	337-2219
2nd floor, short hall	Sandra Lane	337-2232
Pay telephone		337-1922
Long Hall		
1st floor	Margaret Aswad	337-2299
2nd floor	Lane Klotzberger	337-2343
Pay telephone		374-9890
Wallace Hall		
Lobby phone		337-2294
2nd floor	Melinda Monroe	337-2296
3rd floor	Nancy Breece	337-2297
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